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IN RE APPLICATION OF:	TODD A. JORDAN
FOR:	FLOOR RESURFACING DISKS FOR ROTARY FLOOR RESURFACING MACHINE
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the office action dated September 20, 2004.

In the office action, the Examiner stated that the application contains claims directed to the following patentably distinct species of the claimed invention:

Species 1 - Figure 3; and

Species 2 - Figure 8.

The Examiner has advised that the Applicant must elect a single species for prosecution on the merits. The Examiner has determined that, at present, claims 1 and 13 are generic.

In response to the election requirement, the Applicant hereby elects Species 2 (Figure 8). The claims reading on this species are claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19.

Respectfully submitted at Canton, Ohio this 19th day of November, 2004.

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